

"THE DAYLIGHT STORE"

Ladies Suits and Coats

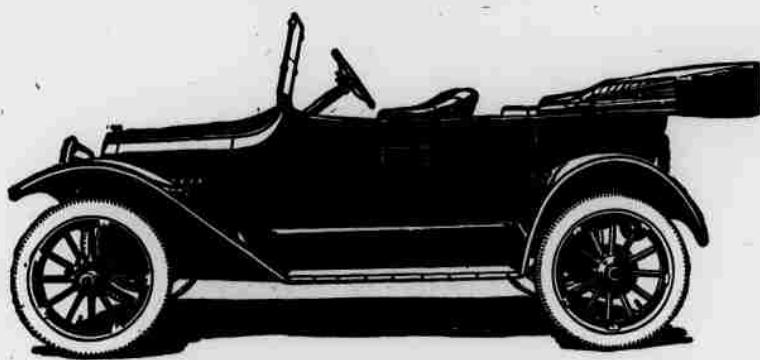
Bought Early and at Prices Much Below the Present Market.

Special Lot
Suits on Sale **\$19.75**
Coats...\$8.75 to \$16.75

We are offering many bargains through our entire store for the month of May.

American Clothing House

"The Good Clothes Store"



We have just unloaded a car load of Chevrolet No. 490 Touring Cars and we also drove two from Kansas City yesterday.

It is reported that the manufacture of cars is to be reduced 75 per cent. We can not tell when we will be able to get any more. If interested, it is best not to delay. They will be no cheaper and may be higher.

We also have one 1918 Chevrolet 490 that has been driven about 1400 miles which will be sold at a bargain. Also one 1916 Ford in good condition.

CABLE & LYON,

Telephone 211

BUTLER, MO.

GRADUATION Presents

I have a fine selection—all kinds and all prices.
CALL AND SEE THEM.

How
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Your
Eyes?



Glasses
Fitted
Reason-
able

Yes, I do all kinds of the finest Watch,
Clock and Jewelry Repairing.

BEACH

The Jeweler and Optometrist.

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

BUTLER, MO.

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Shut Out the Flies!

Building is in order all the time but the season naturally determines some things. One of them is that of putting up

SCREENS
To Keep the Flies Out

When you think of flies think of screens, and when you think of screens think of H. S. WYATT'S SUCCESSOR—

The Star Lumber Co.

Red onion sets, 25c gallon, Deacon's, South Side.

Ernest Mosser, of the Missouri State bank, spent Sunday in Rich Hill with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sheppard returned the first of the week from a visit with friends in Kansas City.

John H. Stone left Tuesday night for points in Oklahoma on a business trip.

Mrs. A. H. Shouer, of Denver, Colorado, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray.

Nothing will please her more than a diamond ring for her graduation present, Welton Jewelry Co.

Joe T. Smith left the first of the week for Kearney, Clay county, where he is visiting a sister.

There is a mode in jewelry and it is the new thing you seek you will find it at the Welton Jly. Store.

Mrs. Herbert Bottoms and daughter, of Kansas City, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brannock.

You could not give him anything he would like better than a gold watch for his graduation present, Welton Jly. Co.

D. K. Walker returned the last of the week from Wichita, Kansas, where he had been visiting his brothers, Alex and David Walker.

Burpees Way-a-head lettuce, 10c pks., Deacon's, South Side.

Rufus Campbell, charged with a peace disturbance, was fined \$1 and costs by Mayor Moore, of Rich Hill, Monday, says the Daily Review.

Mrs. J. F. Isley came up from Rich Hill Monday and is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otis Baker, on South Mechanic street.

Mrs. F. A. Hunsicker, who will be remembered as Mrs. Will Weeks, of Miami, Oklahoma, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holloway.

W. W. Cannon, H. M. Cannon, A. H. Culver, S. F. Warnock, Wesley Denton and Mrs. J. H. Smith attended the funeral of the late J. C. Clark, which took place at Otterville Monday.

G. P. Wyatt is in receipt of a letter from his son, H. S. Wyatt, who is in the United States aviation service at Camp, Illinois, in which he says that he is getting along fine and like the service.

Buy beans now. They are getting very scarce, Deacon's, South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Allen and baby, who spent a few days in this city with Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Nafus, left the first of the week for Wyoming, where Mr. Allen will have charge of a large electric light plant.

Ditzler Norfleet has gone to Adrian where he has taken charge of the Norfleet & Ream garage. Roi Norfleet, who has been in charge of the garage, is in the draft contingent that has been called for service within the next two weeks.

Watermelon, muskmelon, cucumber, squash, pumpkin seed at Deacon's, South Side.

The annual banquet of the Butler High school Alumni will be held this year on Monday evening, May 20, 1918, at 8 o'clock. Members are requested to pay their dues, 50c, to Paul Shelton, of the Peoples Bank, before that date.

J. R. Bradley, of the Cornland neighborhood, was a county seat visitor one day the first of the week and favored the Times office with a pleasant call. Mr. Bradley has lived in that neighborhood for the last thirty years, but about six months ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis which left him somewhat disabled and as he is getting pretty well along in years he thinks that he may have to retire from active farming in the near future.

Mrs. Jess Blizzard fell on a concrete walk in the east part of the city, Tuesday afternoon and badly tore the ligaments in her ankle. While the injury is not serious it is very painful and will probably confine Mrs. Blizzard to her home for several days.

Judge W. T. Cole returned Monday from Kansas City where he underwent a severe surgical operation for the relief of facial neuralgia. The Judge has been a great sufferer from this disease and his many friends hope that at last he has received permanent relief.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy returned Saturday from Kansas City, where they had spent a short honeymoon. Mr. Murphy left Sunday night with the draft contingent from Bates county, for Camp Funston. Mrs. Murphy will remain in this city until her husband returns from his army service.

W. A. Baker, the well known breeder of big bone Poland China hogs, left Monday for St. Joseph, where he is attending some hog sales and looking over the fine hogs in that part of the country to see if they can produce better ones than Bates county, and it is a good bet that they can't, as Bates county is in a class by itself when it comes to raising fine hogs.

J. F. Ludwick received a letter Tuesday from his son, Frank, who is attending a school of instruction for photographers of the aerial department of the signal corps, at Rochester, New York, in which he says that he has completed the course at the school and is waiting assignment to active service. In the final examination he was in the first 20 out of the 700 taking part in it. Before enlisting he was practicing law in Kansas City.

Annette Kellerman, in "The Daughter of the Gods" will be the attraction at the Fisk Opera House Wednesday, May 8. Miss Kellerman is regarded by artists as being the best formed woman in America. She is an expert swimmer and in the Daughter of the Gods she is given ample opportunity to display her ability as a swimmer. The prices of admission will be 10 and 20 cents, war tax included, the lowest price at which this masterpiece has ever been exhibited.

Mrs. R. E. Crabtree has received a letter from her husband, Lieut. Crabtree, of the medical corps of the 35th division, in which he states that he has been transferred from Camp Doniphan, where he has been stationed since last summer, to some post in the east, from where it is supposed that he will be sent to France in a short time. The 35th division is being sent to Europe as fast as transports can be furnished and it will not be long until the boys from this section will be on the firing line.

In a letter enclosing a remittance to have her subscription set ahead for another year, Mrs. Frank Keeton, of Burdette, Kansas, says: "Our subscription has not expired yet, but in order to be sure and not miss a copy am sending the money for a renewal. It is not like a letter from home, but like a whole lot of letters, as we were so well acquainted in the west part of the county, where the fine items of On the Wing come from. We greatly enjoy Sunny Jim, who is sure some jolly writer. We wonder what has become of Johnny?"

The editor of The Times is in receipt of an invitation to attend a "Win the War for Permanent Peace" convention to be held in Philadelphia May 16, 17 and 18, under the auspices of the League to Enforce Peace. Ex-President Taft is president of the League and will preside at the convention which will be addressed by some of the leading men of the country, as well as representatives of Japan, England, France and Italy. The objects of the convention are to sustain the determination of the people to fight until Prussian militarism has been defeated, that a permanent peace may be guaranteed by a league of nations.

Has Sold The Record.

W. O. Atkeson, for the past three years editor and publisher of the Bates County Record, makes an announcement this week that he has sold the subscription list, good will, and franchises to Robert D. Allen of The Butler Weekly Times, and the publication of the Record will be discontinued. The passing of the old Record is a matter of some interest to the people of Bates county. The oldest paper in the county, it has for 32 years been a faithful chronicler of local history. Soon after the death of its founder, the late O. D. Austin, it passed into the hands of W. O. Atkeson, and he labored faithfully and conscientiously to keep it up to the high standard it had attained. The Record plant was destroyed by fire in December, 1916, and since then the paper has been printed in the Times office. While this arrangement was satisfactory to all parties interested, it was somewhat of a handicap to the owner and he finally decided to sell the subscription list and good will. We shall miss the Record, for its columns always contained something bright and sparkling. Mr. Atkeson will resume the practice of the law, and for some time to come will be busy finishing the history of Bates county on which he has been engaged for the past few months.—Butler Daily Democrat.

True Navy beans for seed, Deacon's, South Side.

Miss Nadine Hupp returned Monday from a short visit with friends in Kansas City.

Miss Alice Miller, of Rich Hill, spent a day the last of the week in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moreland.

Mrs. Leslie Clinkenbeard left Monday for a few days visit with friends in Kansas City. She was accompanied by Master Beverly Sells.

Clarence Morris, who left Butler some time ago for Kansas City, returned the last of the week. He says that Butler is plenty good enough for him.

Stop in and look over our assortment of pendants and watch bracelets, Welton Jly Co.

Ed Heavilin arrived in town Monday after a month spent with relatives at Sweet Springs. He is looking hale and hearty and says that he is enjoying the best of health.

Mrs. C. F. Gardner and little daughter, Genevieve, of Wichita, Kansas, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Campbell, and that is why Sunny Jim is more sunny than usual.

Still have a full line sweet corn, Deacon's, South Side.

Robert Sturgeon, of Summit, has sold his farm to John Wilson, of Foster and will give possession this fall. The Sturgeons have not decided where they will locate. It is hoped that they will find a place that suits them near Butler.

M. H. Reeves, of route six, called at this office while in town Monday and dropped into the Times office and had his dates set ahead for another year. He also handed us a dollar and ordered the Times sent to his neighbor, J. D. Mitchell.

The commencement exercises of the Amoret High School were held Friday night. H. O. Maxey delivered the commencement address. Prof. L. S. Wright, formerly principal of the Washington and Franklin schools of this city, is superintendent of the Amoret school.

Gem, Ever-Ready and Ender's safety razors, extra blades, Deacon's, South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bailey left Saturday afternoon for Springfield, where Mr. Bailey has accepted a position with the Walton Trust Company. While the Baileys have only been residents of this city for little more than a year, they have made many friends who will regret to see them leave.

Workmen are busily engaged in remodeling the Williams building on the north side of the square. A concrete floor is being laid, the walls are being newly decorated and a new up-to-date front put in. When all the improvements are completed the Rhodes Pharmacy will occupy the building.

You are assured of a wide and exclusive selection at Welton's and the knowledge that it is the best that can be had for the price you pay. Welton Jly. Co.

Lloyd Graves, who spent last week in this city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graves, left the last of the week for Cambridge, Massachusetts, where he will enter Harvard University, to take advanced instruction in radio telegraphy and general electricity for 16 weeks at the expiration of which he will be placed in active service in the navy.

The two Methodist churches of Rich Hill have partially united. They are holding union prayer meetings. The meetings are held at the two churches alternately. A movement a few months ago to unite the two churches in Rich Hill and this city, doing away with one church at each place, has apparently fell through.

L. B. Baskerville, one of Deepwater township's most progressive young farmers, was a Butler visitor one day last week and called at the Times office and had the dates set ahead on his paper. Mr. Baskerville and his brother, Ben, conduct one of the best farms in the county and they are doing their bit by raising every hog and every bushel of grain that they possibly can to help feed the boys "over there."

Fisk Opera House

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THURSDAY

Irene Fenwick and Owen Moore
(Mary Pickford's husband) in
"A GIRL LIKE THAT"
It's a Paramount

FRIDAY

Charley Chaplin in
"THE IMMIGRANT"
And Maud Dressley in
"TILLIE, WAKE UP"
with John Hines

SATURDAY

Charles Ray in
"THE CLODHOOPER"
and a 2-reel Comedy
and War Weekly
War Tax included

First Show 7:30 Second Show 9:00
5 AND 10 CENTS
War Tax included

COMING

Wednesday, May 8, Annette Kellerman in "A Daughter of the Gods," 10 and 20 cents, war tax included.
Wednesday, May 15, "The Barrier," 10 and 20 cents, war tax included.

THE REVIVAL

Services at the M. E. Church, South, to Continue This Week. Rev. Starkey to the Army Y. M. C. A.

Sunday was patriotic day at the M. E. church, South, where a series of revival meetings are in progress. Mr. Houston, the singer, rendered "Keep the Home Fires Burning" and "Just Before the Battle, Mother." Rev. Starkey preached one of his strongest sermons, which was said by many to have been one of the best ever heard in this city. One man remarked that if a recruiting officer had been outside at the conclusion of the services he could have enlisted nearly every able bodied man in the audience.

Monday night was another good service, which was public school night. The church was crowded, largely by pupils of the schools, many of whom expressed their intention of uniting with the church.

Sunday morning Rev. Starkey announced to his congregation that he had enlisted in the army Y. M. C. A. and that he hoped that within the next year he would be with the boys in France. Monday morning he received his commission with orders to report for duty at San Antonio, Texas, Monday, May 6. This was sooner than Rev. Starkey was ready to report and he wired the department for an extension that he might secure a supply to fill his pulpit for the remainder of the conference year and also to make provisions for his family during his absence.

Rev. Starkey came to the Butler church at the commencement of the conference year, last September, and immediately gained a reputation as one of the most straightforward, energetic preachers that has filled a pulpit in this city for a long time. He believes in calling a spade a spade no matter who may be hit and he has the courage to stand behind his convictions. During his stay in Butler he has made many friends, both in the church and out of it, who will greatly regret his departure.

Wanted.

Man and wife, Man to work on drag line dredge and wife to cook for him. No children. Give references in first letter.
28-21 J. E. Kern, Butler, Mo.

Tested Seed Corn for Sale.

Boone County White and St. Charles White. Each ear tested and nothing sold except that showing One Hundred per cent test.

W. F. Duvall, Butler, Mo.

Annette Kellerman

IN

"Daughter of the Gods"

Wednesday
May 8th

Admission - - 10c & 20c
WAR TAX INCLUDED